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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
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In re application of: Jean-Pierre RIGAL

Application No. : 10/630,662

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For : ASSEMBLY FOR RETAINING A BOOT ON A GLIDING BOARD

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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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